

Chambers of District Judge John W. Darrah *continued*

## Staff

Law Clerk **James J. Dvorak** ..... (312) 435-7554  
 Education: Northern Illinois 1999 JD  
 Law Clerk **Matthew Turnell** ..... (312) 435-7553  
 Began Service: 2007  
 Courtroom Deputy **Melanie Foster** ..... (312) 435-5556  
 Court Reporter **Mary Hacker** ..... (312) 435-5564  
 Judicial Assistant **Kathryn Bianchetti** ..... (312) 435-5619

## Chambers of District Judge Amy J. St. Eve

Everett McKinley Dirksen Building, 219 South Dearborn Street,  
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## Amy J. St. Eve

District Judge

Date of Birth: November 20, 1965  
 Education: Cornell 1987 BA, 1990 JD  
 Began Service: August 30, 2002  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Corporate:** Senior Counsel, Abbott Laboratories (2001-2002)

**Government:** Associate Independent Counsel, Whitewater Independent Counsel, City of Little Rock, Arkansas (1994-1996); Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice (1996-2001)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Davis Polk & Wardwell (1990-1994)

## Staff

Law Clerk **Joseph Donado** ..... (312) 435-5686  
 Began Service: September 2005  
 Term Expires: September 2008  
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 Law Clerk **Steven Grimes** ..... (312) 408-5030  
 Began Service: September 2007  
 Term Expires: September 2008  
 Law Clerk **Suzanne Strater** ..... (312) 435-5819  
 Courtroom Deputy **Theresa Hammonds** ..... (312) 435-5686  
 Court Reporter **Joseph Rickoff** ..... (312) 435-5562  
 Secretary **(Vacant)** ..... (312) 435-5686

## Chambers of District Judge Samuel Der-Yeghiayan

219 South Dearborn Street, Courtroom 1903, Chicago, IL 60604  
 Tel: (312) 435-5675

## Samuel Der-Yeghiayan

District Judge

Began Service: August 4, 2003  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

## Staff

Courtroom Deputy **Michael Wing** ..... (312) 408-5075  
 Court Reporter **Laura LaCien** ..... (312) 408-5032  
 Judicial Assistant **Ella Morris** ..... (312) 435-5675

## Chambers of District Judge Virginia M. Kendall

219 South Dearborn Street, Room 2378, Chicago, IL 60604  
 Tel: (312) 435-5692

## Virginia M. Kendall

District Judge

Began Service: December 30, 2005  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Government:** Assistant U.S. Attorney, Illinois - Northern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice

Chambers of District Judge Virginia M. Kendall *continued*

## Staff

Law Clerk **Greeta Malhotra** ..... (312) 435-5692  
 Law Clerk **Tiffany J. Tracy** ..... (312) 435-5692  
 Law Clerk **Grey Tanzi** ..... (312) 435-5692  
 Courtroom Deputy **Kenneth Wood** ..... (312) 435-5692  
 Court Reporter **April Metzler** ..... (312) 435-5692

## Chambers of District Judge Frederick J. Kapala

211 South Court Street, Room 220, Rockford, IL 61101  
 Tel: (815) 987-4357

## Frederick J. Kapala

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
 Education: Marquette 1972 BA; Illinois 1976 JD  
 Began Service: May 10, 2007  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Government:** Assistant State's Attorney, Winnebago County, Illinois (1976-1977); Special Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, Consumer Protection Division, State of Illinois (1981-1982)

**Judicial:** Associate Judge, State of Illinois (1982-1994); Circuit Judge, State of Illinois (1994-2001); Justice, Illinois Appellate Court, Second District (2001-2007)

**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Peddersen, Menzimer, Conde, Stoner & Killoren (1977-1982)

**Military Service:** United States Army Reserve, United States Department of Justice (1970-1980)

## Staff

Law Clerk **Eileen Caver** ..... (815) 987-4357  
 Law Clerk **Christopher J. Drinkwine** ..... (815) 987-4357  
 Education: Northern Illinois 1996 JD  
 Law Clerk **Paul Maurer** ..... (815) 987-4357  
 Education: Illinois 2001 BS, 2004 JD  
 Courtroom Deputy **Susan Wessman** ..... (815) 987-4357  
 Court Reporter **Mary Lindbloom** ..... (815) 987-4357

## Chambers of District Judge Robert M. Dow, Jr.

1919 Dirksen Building, 219 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, IL 60604  
 Tel: (312) 433-5665

## Robert M. "Bob" Dow, Jr.

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1965  
 Education: Yale 1987 BA; Oxford (UK) 1990 MPhil; Harvard 1993 JD; Oxford (UK) 1997 DPhil  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Affiliation:** President, Appellate Lawyers Association of Illinois

**Academic:** Teaching Fellow, Harvard College (1992)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Circuit Judge Joel M. Flaum, United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit (1993-1994)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Mayer Brown LLP (1995-2001); Partner, Mayer Brown LLP (2002-2007)

**Current Memberships:** Appellate Lawyers Association of Illinois

## Staff

Law Clerk **Erin Cole** ..... (312) 433-5670  
 Education: Seattle 1997 BA; Notre Dame 2000 JD  
 Law Clerk **Patrick Muench** ..... (312) 433-5670  
 Law Clerk **Jaime Stilson** ..... (312) 433-5670  
 Courtroom Deputy **Theresa Kinney** ..... (312) 435-5668  
 Court Reporter **Lois La Corte** ..... (312) 435-5558

## Chambers of Senior Judge John F. Grady

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## John F. Grady

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1929  
 Education: Northwestern 1952 BS, 1954 JD  
 Began Service: 1976  
 Appointed By: President Gerald Ford

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1956-1961); Member, Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission, Illinois Supreme Court (1973-1976)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Sonnenschein, Berkson, Lautmann, Levinson & Morse (1954-1956); Associate, Snyder, Clarke, Dalziel, Holmquist & Johnson (1961-1963); Sole Practitioner (1963-1976)

## Staff

Career Law Clerk **Jill Denner** ..... (312) 435-5848  
 Education: Illinois 1998 JD  
 Career Law Clerk **Ryan S. Kilkenney** ..... (312) 435-5848  
 Began Service: 2007  
 Education: Case Western 1999; Ohio State 2003 JD  
 Minute Clerk **Jackie Deanes** ..... (312) 435-5591  
 Secretary **Kate Herron** ..... (312) 435-5848

## Chambers of Senior Judge Marvin E. Aspen

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## Marvin E. Aspen

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1934  
 Education: Loyola (Chicago) 1956 BS; Northwestern 1958 JD  
 Began Service: July 24, 1979  
 Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Northwestern University School of Law (1969-1992)

**Government:** Law Clerk, United States Department of Justice; Assistant State's Attorney, Office of the State Attorney, State of Illinois (1960-1963); Assistant Corporation Counsel, Head of Appeals and Review Division, Office of the Corporation Counsel, City of Chicago, Illinois (1963-1971)

**Judicial:** Judge, Illinois Circuit Court, Cook County Judicial Circuit (1971-1979); Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1979-1995); Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1995-2002); Member, Judicial Conference of the United States (2000-2003)

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1959); Private Practice (1971)

**Military Service:** Judge Advocate General Section, United States Army; Illinois National Guard (1959); United States Air Force Reserve (1960-1964)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Chicago Bar Association; Illinois State Bar Association

## Staff

Law Clerk **Beth Cammaratta** ..... (312) 435-5696  
 Began Service: September 2007  
 Term Expires: August 2008  
 Law Clerk **Julie Saranow** ..... (312) 435-5696  
 Began Service: September 2007  
 Term Expires: August 2008

Chambers of Senior Judge Marvin E. Aspen *continued*

Secretary **Linda Surprenant** ..... (312) 435-5696

## Chambers of Senior Judge James Byron Moran

1846 Dirksen Building, 219 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, IL 60604  
 Tel: (312) 435-5572

## James Byron Moran

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1930  
 Education: Michigan 1952 BA; Harvard 1957 LLB  
 Began Service: 1979  
 Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable J. Edward Lumbard, United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit (1957-1958)

**Government:** State Representative, Illinois General Assembly (1965-1966)

**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Bell, Boyd, Lloyd, Haddad & Burns (1958-1979)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1952-1954)

**Current Memberships:** Bar Association of the Seventh Federal Circuit; The Chicago Bar Association; Chicago Council of Lawyers; Lawyers Club of Chicago

## Staff

Law Clerk **Jessica L. Covell** ..... (312) 435-5572  
 Began Service: September 2006  
 Term Expires: September 2008  
 Education: DePaul 2001 JD  
 Law Clerk **Geoffrey Meyer** ..... (312) 435-5572  
 Began Service: September 2007  
 Term Expires: September 2009  
 Court Reporter **(Vacant)** ..... (312) 939-2059  
 Secretary **Adelaide R. Yanow** ..... (312) 435-5572

## Chambers of Senior Judge Milton I. Shadur

2388 Dirksen Building, 219 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, IL 60604  
 Tel: (312) 435-5766

## Milton I. Shadur

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1924  
 Education: Chicago 1943 BS, 1949 JD  
 Began Service: June 1980  
 Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Goldberg, Devoe & Brussell (1949-1951); Partner, Goldberg, Devoe, Brussell & Shadur (1951-1956); Partner, Goldberg, Devoe, Shadur & Mikva (1956-1961); Partner, Devoe, Shadur, Mikva & Plotkin (1961-1968); Partner, Devoe, Shadur, Plotkin, Krupp & Miller (1969-1973); Partner, Devoe, Shadur, Plotkin & Krupp (1973-1979); Partner, Shadur, Krupp & Miller (1979-1980)

**Military Service:** United States Naval Reserve (1943-1946)